# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

## **FISCAL NOTE**



SB 1990 - HB 2182

March 5, 2018

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes the Director of the Division of State Parks (State Parks) within the Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) to issue permits or licenses up to 15 days, rather than up to 10 days, for the use of areas or facilities within state parks for special events.

## **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### NOT SIGNIFICANT

## Assumptions:

- Tennessee Code Annotated § 11-3-111(c) authorizes the Director of State Parks to issue permits or licenses to any government, public agency, individual, corporation, associate, or other organization for a period up to 10 days for the use of areas or facilities within state parks for special events.
- The proposed legislation would authorize the issuance of permits or licenses up to 15 days.
- It is a possible that events occurring in the additional five days that might increase TDEC's revenue from events or state parks. However, TDEC states that there currently exist alternative methods for authorizing events occurring over 10 days.
- The proposed legislation will not significantly impact TDEC's operations or its revenue or expenditures.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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